



UNITED STATES ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION AGENCY  
WASHINGTON, D.C. 20460

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OFFICE OF CHEMICAL SAFETY  
AND POLLUTION PREVENTION

**MEMORANDUM**

**SUBJECT:** Redefinition of Authority for Amending Registrations

**FROM:** Richard P. Keigwin, Director *R. Keigwin*  
Office of Pesticides Programs (7508P)

**TO:** Yu-Ting Guilaran, Director  
Pesticide Re-Evaluation Division (7508P)

On September 29, 1986, the Administrator signed a new delegation of authority, entitled "Change to Existing Registration," in which the authority to take certain actions necessary for amending of existing registrations of pesticides pursuant to section 3 of the Federal Insecticide, Fungicide, and Rodenticide Act (FIFRA), as amended, are delegated to the Assistant Administrators for Enforcement and Compliance Assurance and Pesticides and Toxic Substances.<sup>1</sup> As permitted by this delegation, these authorities were redelegated to the Director of the Office of Pesticide Programs, on August 3, 1988.

As permitted by this delegation and with the limitations specified therein, I hereby redelegate to you, the Director of the Pesticide Re-Evaluation Division, the authority to perform the functions and duties authorized in section 3 of FIFRA, as described below:

- the authority:
  - To approve or deny amendments to currently registered products;
  - To determine the acceptability of data for existing registrations, as part of the registration review process, to waive data requirements where significant regulatory or environmental impact is not involved, and to determine the acceptability of labeling;

This delegation may be redelegated to the Branch Chief level or equivalent and no further. In exercising these authorities, you should coordinate with the Office of General Counsel. I also ask that you inform me of any significant issues that appear to be developing as a result of implementing these functions, or generally in exercising this authority. Any redelegation of this authority does not divest the official making the redelegation from the power to exercise this authority. An official who delegates authority

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<sup>1</sup> Delegation 5-1-B was updated on 5/11/1994 to change the name of the office from Office of Pesticides and Toxic Substances to the Office of Chemical Safety and Pollution Prevention.

may still exercise the authority or revoke such redelegation at any time, and without written notification or explanation.

Should you or your staff have any questions about this redelegation or related expectations in implementing it, please contact the OCSPP delegations coordinator, the Director of Regulatory Coordination, Angela Hofmann, at (202)564-0258 (hofmann.angela@epa.gov).

#### Attachments

Delegation of Authority 5-1-B. Change to Existing Registration (1200 TN 350) (5/11/1994)

Administrative Clarification of FIFRA and FFDCa Redelegation of Authority Action Memorandum (8/3/1988)

cc: Angela Hofmann (OCSPP/IO)  
Melissa Chun (OCSPP/IO)  
Linda Arrington (OCSPP/OPP)  
Erin Koch (OGC)



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**FROM:** Yu-Ting Guilaran, Director  
Pesticide Re-Evaluation Division (7508P)

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**TO:** Amy Blankenship, Acting Chief, RMIB1  
Pesticide Re-Evaluation Division (7508P)

Reuben Baris, Acting Chief, RMIB2  
Pesticide Re-Evaluation Division (7508P)

Kelly Sherman, Chief, RMIB3  
Pesticide Re-Evaluation Division (7508P)

Linda Arrington, Chief, RMIB4  
Pesticide Re-Evaluation Division (7508P)

Cathryn Britton, Chief, RMIB5  
Pesticide Re-Evaluation Division (7508P)

As permitted by Delegation 5-1-B (September 29, 1986), the Assistant Administrator for Pesticides and Toxic Substances<sup>1</sup> on August 3, 1988 delegated to the Director of the Office of Pesticide Programs (OPP) the authority to take certain actions necessary for amending and approving existing registrations of pesticides pursuant to section 3 of the Federal Insecticide, Fungicide, and Rodenticide Act. The Director of OPP on February 11, 2019 redelegated the authority to perform some of these functions to the Director of the Pesticide Re-Evaluation Division.

As permitted by this delegation and with the limitations specified therein, I hereby redelegate to you, the Chiefs of RMIB1, RMIB2, RMIB3, RMIB4, and RMIB5, the authority to perform the functions and duties authorized in section 3 of FIFRA, as described below:

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- the authority to
  - To approve or deny amendments to currently registered products;
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In exercising these authorities, you should coordinate with the Office of General Counsel. I also ask that you inform me of any significant issues that appear to be developing as a result of implementing these functions, or generally in exercising this authority. Any redelegation of this authority does not divest the official making the redelegation from the power to exercise this authority. An official who delegates authority may still exercise the authority or revoke such redelegation at any time, and without written notification or explanation.

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Redelegation of Authority for Amending Registrations and Approving New Uses for Existing Registrations dated February 11, 2019

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